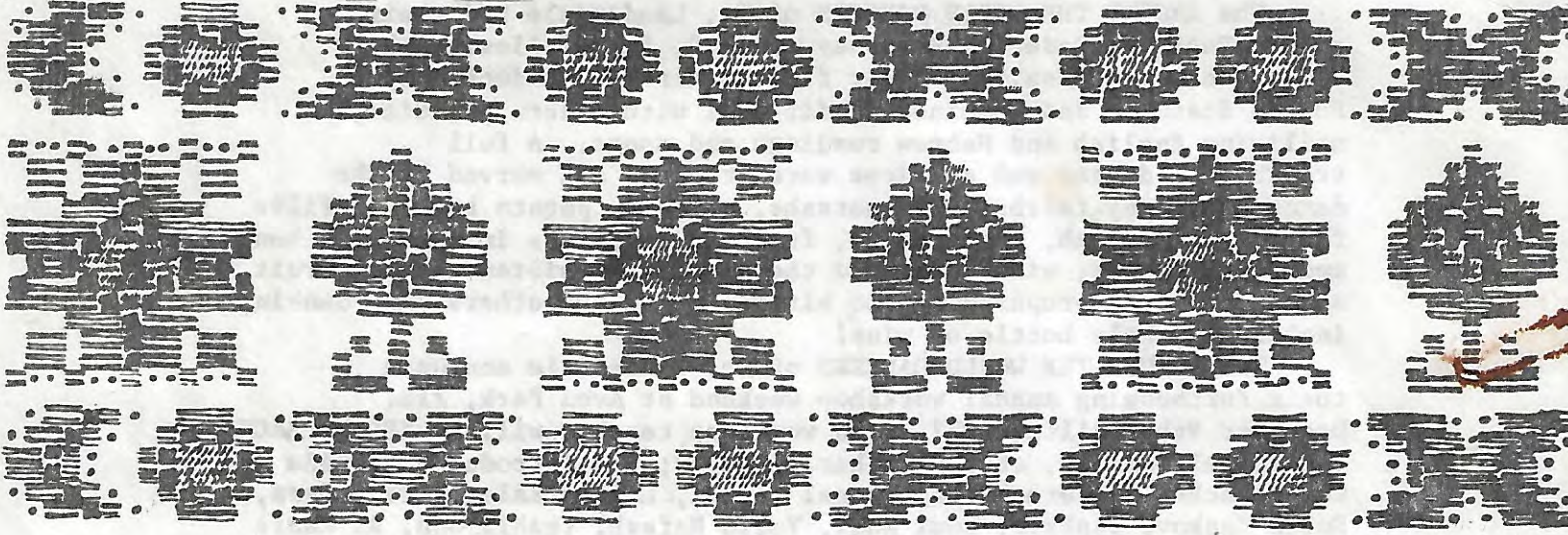


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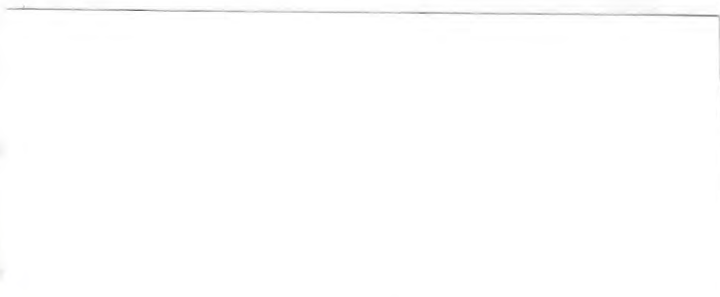


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News from Ft. Lauderdale

The AROUND THE WORLD DANCERS of Ft. Lauderdale had their annual Passover Seder on Saturday April 2, 1977 following their afternoon dance session. Their first Seder was conducted by Philip Statnick and combined traditional with modern practice, utilizing English and Hebrew readings and songs. A full traditional dinner and services were prepared and served by the dancers of many faiths. The matsahs, chicken, potato kugel, gefilte fish, horse-radish, green salad, fresh fruits, nuts in the shell honey and sponge cakes, wine, tea, and the piece de resistance-fresh fruit salad that Dora prepared in the kitchen while the others were dancing included a whole bottle of wine!

The AROUND THE WORLD DANCERS of Ft. Lauderdale announce their forthcoming annual workshop weekend at Avon Park, Fla. December 9th to 11th, 1977. The workshop teacher will be SHLOMO BACHAR, the Israeli dancer, choreographer, teacher; who introduced Florida to Hashacher, Yeverechacha, Israel Israel, Likrat Kala, Hora Hadera, Sulam Yaakov, Tashkif, Numi Numi, Yedid Nefesh, Yeshli Gan, Al Kanfe Hakesev: to name just a few dances.

Shlomo Bachar will be available for workshops in Florida after the weekend of Dec. 9-11, 1977. Please contact Bea Statnick 91 N.E. 46th Street Ft, Lauderdale, 33334, for further information, or call (305) 771-5287.

ATTENTION FFDC MEMBERS

There will be a FFDC meeting at the Mihai David workshop. Items to be discussed will be : Term of office for officers, how policies for newsletter and other FFDC activities should be decided, and possible locations for FFDC workshops and camps. Bring your idea on these topics and any other topics you want discussed. Don't forget to appoint your two voting members per group, who should attend the meeting.

Next month there will be more "words to dances".
Also next month; part two of Juan's article on southern Balkan dances.
A bibliography of same.
Other juicy tidbits.

Patti Schutt will take to the Polish workshop items that were left behind in Tallahassee during the Folkdancefest. You may claim your belongings there or write to Patti at P.O. Box U-6947, FSU, Tallahassee, Florida. 32313.